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In re Application of: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PERFORMING OPTICAL CHARACTER RECOGNITION (OCR) AND TEXT STITCHING

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Group Art Unit No: 2625

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For Mark Melvin Butterworth

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

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Dear Sir:

Please amend the above identified application set forth below.